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PATENT APPLICATION
File No: 99-50

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Scott R. Presnell, Steven K. Burkhead, Sarah L. Pownder
Serial No. : 09/608,918
Group Art Unit : 1646
Examiner : Prasad, S.
Filed : June 30, 2000
For : INTERLEUKIN-17 RECEPTOR HOMOLOGUE (As Amended)
Date Submitted : December 17, 2002

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Communication dated June 17, 2002 be extended for a period of three months from September 17, 2002 to December 17, 2002.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$460.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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